

The Daily Courant.

Thursday, December 10. 1719.

Heidelberg, December 7.

ON the 7th Instant, Baron Hilleheim, Privy Councillour and President of the Regency, and Privy Councillour Becker, went to the House of Baron Spina, Minister of the States General at this Court, to whom they made the following Declaration in the Name of the Elector their Master.

His Electoral Highness has been graciously moved to cause an Answer by Word of Mouth to be given to the said Minister's Representations, viz. That he has all imaginable Regard to the Instances of his Principals their High Mightinesses the Lords the States General, and with this View causes it to be repeated once more and sincerely protests, that he never intended by any thing hitherto done to let his Reformed Subjects be mislead contrary to the Treaty of Westphalia, and the Liberty of Conscience and the undisturbed Exercise of it granted to them, nor to do it for the future: That he wishes he was able to declare more on this Subject for the present, but as his Imperial Majesty upon the Representations made to him by the Protestant Body has already taken this Affair in Hand, and most graciously written to him, and his Electoral Highness has already duly answered to it, it behoves him to expect thereupon the Emperour's Resolution: And as his Electoral Highness besides the above Assurance, liberally bestows on his Subjects of the Augsburg Confession all manner of Favours, Princely and Paternal Affection, and Advantages, both at Court and in his Dominions; so he places firm Confidence in the Equity and Generosity of their High Mightinesses the States General, that they likewise on their part will not make the Subjects dwelling in their Provinces suffer any thing in the mean while on this Account.

The Deputies sent hither by the Roman Catholick Clergy of several Protestant Territories, in vain sollicite the Electoral Court to have Compassion on their Condition, and to prevent their Ruin by restoring the Affairs of Religion in the Palatinate upon the former Foot; those from Magdeburg, Halberstat, Minden, and other parts under the Dominion of the King of Prussia, have been told for Answer, that the Elector Palatine has done nothing contrary to the Treaty of Westphalia, or the Constitutions of the Empire, and that no Prince of the Empire has any Power to use Reprizals, a thing being forbidden by the Laws of the Empire. But the Protestants have answered this Objection not only on this Occasion, but on many others before: It is true, say they, Reprizals are not permitted in civil and

private Causes, where there is a competent Judge, but religious Affairs in Germany are by no means of that Number: The State of Religion was settled between the States of Germany as treating Parties in the Treaty of Westphalia, and Complaints relating to Religion ought to be laid not before any Court of Judicature, but before the Diet, (and this they have done, but to no Effect as yet) to be adjusted there according to Justice and Equity, without even being subject to the Determination of the Majority: Besides that the Affairs of Religion in the Palatinate have been regulated by separate Conventions. The Conduct of the Roman Catholick States in these Differences, appears very extraordinary to the Protestants. The Electoral Court here have returned to the several Representations of the Protestant Powers, only Answers by Word of Mouth: The Deputy of the Elector of Mentz at Ratisbon having received his Instructions from his Master relating to the Complaints of the whole Protestant Body, made his Answer also by Word of Mouth, and only to the Deputy of the Elector of Saxony, as Director of the Protestant Affairs, who seeing he was not able to obtain from him a Copy of the said Instructions, went to put into Writing the Contents of his Answer, which he afterwards shewed to him to know whether they were conform with what he had heard from him; but he was told by the said Deputy, his Instructions extended no further than what he had already performed. The Protestant Deputies at Ratisbon having been in a Body to deliver to the Cardinal of Saxe-Weitz the State of their Case, in order to be transmitted to Vienna; the Roman Catholick Deputies pretended afterwards to dispute whether the Protestants ought to be allowed to deliver Representations in a Body; notwithstanding that there are many Precedents to the contrary: The Cardinal having received the Emperour's Resolutions, acquainted the Saxon Deputy with it, and invited him to his House to communicate to him the said Resolution; but that Minister proposing to go there in Conjunction with the other Protestant Deputies, the Cardinal invited the Deputies of the Electors of Saxony and Brandenburg, and of the Duke of Saxe-Gotha, to an Entertainment, and after Dinner communicated to them by Word of Mouth the Emperour's Resolutions.

Paris, Dec. 16. A Marriage being concluded between Mademoiselle the Duke Regent's Daughter and the Hereditary Prince of Modena, it will be performed towards the End of next Month: She is to embark at Antibes; M. de Roannez Commander of a Squadron, is to convoy her

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to Italy. The Grand Prior of France is to accompany her from the Frontier of this Kingdom to Modena, and after some Stay there he will go to see the rest of Italy; several young Noblemen intend to take this Opportunity to make the like Tour. The Archbishop of Rheims having acted in Opposition to the Court in the Affair of the Pope's Constitution, we are assured an Express was sent to him, to forbid him in the King's Name to accept the Cardinal's Hat, under severe Penalties. That Prelate was on the Road to Paris when this Order met him, whereupon he turned back to Rheims. It is reported, that Mr. Law designs to finish the Building of St. Roche, his Parish-Church, at his own Expence; which will amount to a Million of Livres. The new Submissions, (or Shares in the India Company) which last Thursday Morning fell to 500, (above the first Thousand) got up that Night to 600; Yesterday Morning they were at 620, rose in the Afternoon to 660, and last Night to about 800. An Arrêt of the King's Council of State has been published, by which those of the Province of Britany who have Demands on the State, have it left to their Choice, whether to take forthwith their principal Money, or let it lie at 3 per Cent. Interest.

Plymouth, Dec. 6. Yesterday came in the St. Francis of and for Bruges from Nantz; Sr. Joseph of and for ditto for ditto. This Day came in the Plimstoke of and for London from Leghorne; Brotherly Love of London for Oporto; John and Sarah of London from Norway for Wales, and the John of and from Waterford for Havre.

Deal, Dec. 8. This Morning came down the Mary, Capt. Holden, for the East-Indies.

London, December 10.

Yesterday South Sea Stock was 123 3 qrs. to 124 1 gr. Bank 148 1 gr. to 148 3 qrs. India 195 1 half, to 196. Lottery Annuity 100 3 qrs. African 29. Undrawn Lottery Tickets 3l. 11s.

The PREROGATIVE OFFICE is Removed to Mr. Henry Farrant's House near Doctors Commons Back-Gate.

The Election for the County of Surrey being appointed for the 15th and 16th Days of this Month, Coaches will attend on both those Days for the Friends of Sir Francis Vincent, Bart. at the Places following. Mr. Chapman's, at the Crown upon St. Margaret's Hill in Southwark, Tom's Coffee-house near the Royal Exchange, Richard's Coffee-house by the Temple, George's Coffee-house at the upper end of the Hay Market, Piccadilly, and at Mr. Loyd's at the Naked Boy in the old Palace-yard, Westminster. Note. The Coaches will wait from 6 to 9 in the Morning each Day, and the Gentlemen who chuse to go in Coaches are desired to be there as early as possible.

The Adventurers in the United East India Company are desired to be present at the General Court which is to be held To-morrow, at 11 in the Forenoon, when there will be Matters of Consequence communicated to them.

AN Entertainment by Mr. Clinch of Barner, who imitates the Horn, Huntsman, Pack of Hounds, the Sham Doctor, Old Woman, Drunken Man, and the Bells, the Flute, Double Courtel, the Organ with 3 Voices: All Instruments are performed with his natural Voice. Also an Essex Song by Mr. Clinch, after which manner none but himself can perform. To begin this Evening at 6 a Clock, at the Christian Coffee-house near Smithfield Bars. Price 1s.

Lost on Saturday last, the 5th Instant, about 3 a-Clock in the Afternoon, on Epping-Forest, near Epping, out of the Bury Stage Coach, a Silver Watch with a Silver Chain, (Tompon on the Dial-Plate, and a Ram, almost worn out, engraven on the outside of the Case.) Whoever brings it to Mr. Utherd, Goldsmith, at the Golden-Ring in Fenchurch-lane, or to Mr. Jonathan Wild at the King's Head in the Old-Bailey, shall receive Three Guineas, and be asked no Questions. If pawned, their Money again. Note, The Watch being old, and lately damaged in the Movements, doth not go well.

Lost on Tuesday the 8th Instant, between the Hours of 12 and 2, either in Westminster-Hall, the Court of Requests, or thereabouts, a Black Shagreen-Pocket-Book, with a gilt Silver Hinge, Lock and Edging, nothing in it of any use but to the Owner. Whoever has found it, and will bring it to Mr. Cahuse at the French Ordinary in Fench-lane near the Royal-Exchange in Cornhill, shall have a Guinea Reward, and no Questions asked.

Stolen or strayed the 14th of November last, from Penny-Abby near Cambridge, a fine dapple grey Mare, above 14 Hands and an half high, with a long Tail, a Crack within side of each Hoof before, and the near Knee a little thicker than the other. Whoever shall give Notice of the said Mare to Mr. John Woods at the Ram in Cow-Croft, West-Smithfield, or to Mr. Thomas Pretlove in St. Andrew's Parish, Cambridge, shall receive a Guinea Reward, and Reasonable Charges.

To be Lett,

A very convenient House in Oxenden-Street, the Lease to run for 19 Years and 6 Months from Christmas next, the late Dwelling-House of the Prussian Minister; and the Goods to be disposed of: Enquire at the House.

To be Lett,

By the Company of Carpenters, London, 14 Acres and a half of Land, called Cacerus, near Liphook, in the Parish of Bramphill, in Hampshire, being 4 inclosed Fields, three wherof arable, and the other Meadow Ground, and were late in the Possession of Wm. St. ne. Proposals for taking thereof are to be sent sealed up, and directed to Richard Hunt, the Company's Clerk, at Carpenters Hall.

To be Sold,

A very large Parcel of Turkey and Musket Carpets for Floors, of all Sizes, the newest Patterns, and good Colours, all lately imported, free from all Damage; by Mr. John Howard, Upholster, at the Talbot in Long-lane, near Smithfield. Where is made and sold all sorts of fine Furniture, as Beds and Bedding, Chairs, and fine Tapestry, &c. Note. There are several Carpets of very large Sizes, made to cover whole Floors.

An universal Rule for resolving, arbitrating and equating of Foreign Exchanges, with all the Places of Exchange in Europe; whereby the Intrinick and Exchange Values of all the Monies are exactly found upon all Variations of the Courses of Exchange, and Alterations of the Alloy, Cut, Remedies, and Currency of their coin'd Species: Invented by Charles Snell, Writing-Master and Accomptant in Foster-lane, and taught to such as apply themselves to him. He also teaches Writing in all the Hands of Great Britain; Arithmetick in its curious Abridgements as apply'd to Business; the true Italian way of Book-keeping, as practised in the Computing-Houses of most eminent Merchants, and boards young Gentlemen.

To be sold by Retail, at a Warehouse in Lime-street, next Pewterer's Hall.

A Parcel of fine Turkey Muscatt Carpets, lately imported; they are of most Sizes, and little inferior to Persian, which are to be disposed of likewise. As also several Pieces of Tapestry, not new. The Prices are on each of the Carpets.

This Day at 12 a Clock will begin to be sold the Goods of a Gentleman leaving off House-keeping, at his late Dwelling-house in Princes-street in Hanover-Square. The Goods are fresh and new, and will be sold at very low Rates. The lowest Price will be put on each Lot, and to continue till all are sold.

A Catalogue of curious English Books, in Divinity, History, Miscellanies, Novels, Plays, Poetry, Travels, Voyages, Mathematicks, Romances, &c. mostly of the best Editions, neatly bound, gilt on the Backs, and all in a very handsome Condition. Which will be sold by Auction, at Wm's (the Crown) Coffee-house in King-street, near Guild-hall, this Day the 10th Instant, beginning every Evening at 4 a Clock, and continue every Evening till all are sold. Catalogues may be had gratis at John's Coffee-house in Birch-lane, at Tarant's Coffee-house within Aldgate, at the Chapter Coffee-house in Paternoster-row, the Rainbow Coffee-house at Fleet-bridge, at Bool's Coffee-house in Bishopsgate-street, at Steel's Coffee-house in Breadstreet, and at the Place of Sale.

To be Sold by AUCTION,

At the Pall-Mall Chocolate House in Pall-Mall, A curious Collection of original Pictures by several of the best Italian and other Masters, this Day and To-morrow, the 10th and 11th Instant. The Pictures are now ready for View and will continue so till the Time of Sale, which will begin each Day at 11 a-Clock in the Forenoon precisely, where Catalogues may be had. N.B. These Pictures are the Insure Collection of Mr. Horatio Symonds lately deceased, and will be all sold without Reserve.

To be sold on Saturday the 12th Instant,

at Five in the Afternoon, by Inch of Candle, at Thompson's Coffee-house in Conduit-Street, near Hanover-Square, a new House unfinished, in Prince's-Street, built by Rich. Oliver, and looking into the Square, with a new Sign-iron thereto affixed, and all Appurtenances, with Ground, &c. behind the same, quite in Oxford Road, fit for building upon, making a Garden and Coach-House and Stables, being a Lease of 60 Years and upwards to come, paying Ground-Rent 12 l. 10s. per Annum; the Keys of the House are left at the said Thompson's Coffee-house.

Yesterday was Published,

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I. Geom. Privatum Universitatis. Auctore Col. no Mac Laurin, Mathematicos in Collegio novo Abredonensi Professore, & Reg. Soc. Soc. 4to. 2. Opus: five de Reflexionibus, Refractionibus, Infectionibus, & Coloribus Lucis. Libri tres. Auctore Isaac Newton, Equite Astron. Latine redidit Samuel Clarke, S. T. P. Editio secunda, auct. 8vo. 3. S. Isaac Newton's Opticks, the 2d Edition, with Additions, 8vo. 4. Methodus Incrementorum directæ & inversæ. Auctore Brook Taylor, LL. D. & Reg. Soc. Sec. 4to. 5. A Treatise of Algebra, in two Books; the first treating of the Arithmetical, and the second of the Geometrical Part. By Phil. Ronayne, Gent. 8vo. All printed by W. & J. Innys, Printers to the Royal Society, at the West-End of St. Paul's.

To Morrow will be Published,

The Authority of the Clergy, and the Liberties of the Laity stated and vindicated. In Answer to Mr. Roger's Discourse of the Visible and Invisible Church of Christ. By Arthur Ashley Sykes, M. A. Rector of Rayleigh in Essex. Printed for J. Knapton, at the Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard.

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